

<p>ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY (<i>Name, Address, Telephone No.</i>)</p>		<p>FOR COURT USE ONLY</p>
<p>ATTORNEY FOR (<i>Name</i>): Bar No:</p>		
<p>SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE</p> <p>JUSTICE CENTER: <input type="checkbox"/> Central <input type="checkbox"/> Harbor <input type="checkbox"/> Lamoreaux <input type="checkbox"/> North <input type="checkbox"/> South <input type="checkbox"/> West</p> <p>STREET ADDRESS:</p> <p>P.O. BOX:</p> <p>CITY AND ZIP CODE:</p>		
<p>PLAINTIFF / PETITIONER:</p>		
<p>DEFENDANT / RESPONDENT:</p>		
<p>PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN AD LITEM AND ORDER</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Limited Civil <input type="checkbox"/> Over \$25,000 <input type="checkbox"/> Small Claims <input type="checkbox"/> Family Law <input type="checkbox"/> Probate</p>		<p>CASE NUMBER:</p>

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Complete only Part I or Part II.
2. The Petition must be *personally* signed by the appropriate petitioner. The proposed guardian cannot sign for the minor where the law requires the minor to be the petitioner, nor can the lawyer sign for the petitioner.
3. A guardian ad litem cannot represent the minor in pro per except in a Small Claims action and upon the court's consideration.
4. A separate petition and order is required for each case involving said minor. If a new guardian is appointed, a new petition and order is required for the appointment to be effective.
5. The Petition is submitted ex parte and without hearing.

Use this side if minor is under the age of 14 (or if minor is defendant 14 years of age or older and has failed to apply for appointment of guardian ad litem within 10 days after service of the summons). Use reverse side if minor is 14 years of age or older.

PART I - PETITION OF PROPOSED GUARDIAN

A. I am the ☐ parent ☐ relative (specify): _____ ☐ friend ☐ other: _____
of _____, who is the ☐ plaintiff ☐ defendant in this action.
(Name of minor)

B. Said minor is: *(complete either 1 or 2)*

☐ 1. Under the age of 14 years, having been born on _____.

(Birth date)

☐ 2. A defendant over the age of 14 years who failed to apply for appointment of guardian ad litem within 10 days after service of summons upon minor. Summons was served on _____.

(Date)

C. Appointment of a guardian ad litem is necessary because the minor has no general guardian.

D. I request that I be appointed guardian ad litem for said minor in this action.

Date: _____

SIGNATURE OF PROPOSED GUARDIAN

(Continued on reverse side)

PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN AD LITEM, AND ORDER

PART II - PETITION BY MINOR

(If minor is 14 years of age or older:)

A. I am the ☐ plaintiff ☐ defendant in this entitled action. My name is:_____.

B. I am a minor of the age of _____ years. My birthday is on:_____.

C. Appointment of a guardian ad litem is necessary because I have no general guardian.

D. My proposed guardian is: *(name)*_____.

This person is my ☐ mother ☐ father ☐ friend ☐ relative *(relationship:)*_____

☐ other *(specify:)*_____

E. Therefore, I request that _____ be appointed guardian ad litem
for me in this action. *(Name of Proposed Guardian)*

Date:_____

SIGNATURE OF MINOR

CONSENT OF PROPOSED GUARDIAN

I consent to the appointment of myself as guardian ad litem for the above named minor in this action.

Date:_____

SIGNATURE OF PROPOSED GUARDIAN

ORDER:

It is ordered that the proposed guardian ad litem be appointed to said minor.

Date:_____

Judge/Commissioner of the Superior Court